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PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing a reissue application  
under 37 CFR 1.173 is a(n):

- ☒ Utility  
☐ Original patent application,  
☐ Continuation-in-part application  
☒ Continuation application  
☐ Divisional application

INVENTOR(S): **Gregory E. ROSS**TITLE: **PERIMETER COATING ALIGNMENT**

Enclosed are under 37 CFR 1.173:

- ☒ Specification & Claims in double [Total p.p. 47 ]      ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113      [Total Shts. 35 ]  
column copy of patent format
- ☐ Reissue Oath or Declaration & Power of Attorney [Total Shts      ]      ☐ Copy from a prior application

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment      ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement & Form PTO-1449      ☐ Copies of IDS citations  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard      ☐ Priority Document(s)      ☒ Other: Amended claims (23-63)

CLAIMS AS FILED						
	Claims Filed	Basic Fee Claims	Extra	Rate		Amount
				Large Entity	Small Entity	
Total Claims	22	20	2	\$ 18.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 18.00
Independent Claims	4	3	1	\$ 86.00	\$ 43.00	\$ 43.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				\$ 290.00	\$ 145.00	\$ 0.00
BASIC FEE				\$ 770.00	\$ 385.00	\$ 385.00
TOTAL FILING FEE						\$ 446.00
OTHER FEES						\$ 0.00
TOTAL CHARGES ENCLOSED						\$ 446.00

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status      See 37 CFR 1.27

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#### PRIOR APPLICATION INFORMATION

This is a request for filing a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.173 a

☒ Continuation application of:      ☐ Divisional application of:      ☐ Continuation-in-part of:

#### PENDING PRIOR APPLICATION

Application No.: **09/706,491**      Filed: **November 3, 2000**      Inventor(s): **Gregory E. ROSS**

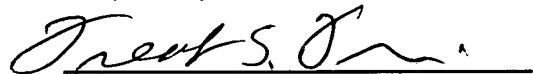
**For CONTINUATION OF DIVISIONAL APPLICATIONS ONLY:** The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is enclosed herewith, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

☐ Request for Non-Publication under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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